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Security Information

1 June 1953

MEMORANDUM FOR: CPP

SUBJECT : PSB Staff Meeting, Monday, 1 June 1953

25X1A 1. [REDACTED] reviewed the items on the agenda for Wednesday's Board meeting. You may remember that C. D. Jackson planned to suggest to the Board at last week's meeting that [REDACTED] present his ideas at this week's meeting. He now feels that it would be a better idea to present these ideas second-hand. 25X1A

2. With respect to the second item, I am writing a separate memorandum outlining the present situation regarding PSB's support to the UN General Assembly. This subject is being discussed at the Board meeting because Wally Irwin feels that the question of "who should do what" should be formalized by the Board and, accordingly, C. D. Jackson is to bring the matter up to General Smith.

25X1A 3. [REDACTED] reported that C. D. Jackson has been requested by the NSC to prepare a speech for Presidential delivery on the subject of atomic energy and that the PSB will be asked to prepare a supporting plan. According to [REDACTED] Mr. Jackson has directed that preparation of the plan be postponed until the speech is prepared. 25X1A

25X1A 4. [REDACTED] is to attend a meeting at C. D. Jackson's office Tuesday afternoon to discuss the state of the Korean negotiations. (Joe Phillips thinks the meeting has been called to work up contingency statements.) [REDACTED] will welcome any suggestions for points for him to keep in mind at the meeting. 25X1A

25X1A 5. [REDACTED] made three announcements:

a. A contingency guidance in the form of a draft release on NSC 143 will be ready this afternoon. The contingency is that of a possible information leak during the course of negotiations abroad. NSC 143 pertains to the Volunteer Freedom Corps.

b. A PSB paper on the [REDACTED] has already received informal agency comment and is now ready for vote slip approval. 25X1C

c. The next draft of D-23 (Thailand) will be published late this week or early next week.

6. Bill Godel

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6. Bill Godel reported that the Jackson Committee held its last meeting last Friday and gave a brief account of the contents of the report as it now stands. I assume that Mr. [REDACTED] has already reported to you on this subject. 25X1A

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